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Amendment B

In response to the Office Action dated November 8, 2002, please reconsider allowance of the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

No claims have been amended, cancelled, or added. The following is a clean version of the entire set of pending claims.

- A consumable order assistance system for computer peripheral 1. 1 2 devices, comprising:
- a personal computer having a web browser and a messaging system; 3
 - at least one computer peripheral device having a messaging system;